

## Message Text

CONFIDENTIAL

PAGE 01 KHARTO 00366 121255Z

51

ACTION AF-06

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EB-07 COME-00 MC-02 CIAE-00 INR-07

NSAE-00 DODE-00 TRSE-00 PM-03 NSC-05 SP-02 SS-15 /048 W

----- 123939

R 121212Z FEB 75

FM AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9394

C O N F I D E N T I A L KHARTOUM 366

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR MASS BTRA SU

SUBJ: TRAVEL OF SIKORSKY REPRESENTATIVE

REF: STATE 25196

1. TWO SENIOR UNITED AIRCRAFT INTERNATIONAL REPS, JOHN CAMPBELL AND ROBERT BROWN, CALLED ON AMBASSADOR FEBRUARY 12 ALONG WITH JOSEPH D. COOPER, REGIONAL REP FOR SIKORSKY IN NAIROBI (SIKORSKY IS DIVISION UNITED AIRCRAFT). IN COURSE DISCUSSION, IT CAME OUT THAT SIKORSKY REGARDS SALE HELICOPTERS TO LOCAL POLICE, AS MOST POTENTIALLY INTERESTING MARKET, SINCE "POLICE AIR WING" HAS SEVERAL HELICOPTER PILOTS. AMBASSADOR WENT OVER CURRENT POLICY IN DETAIL (PARA 1 REFTEL). HE RAISED QUESTION WHETHER ANY SALE TO POLICE WOULD BE REGARDED AS PRIMA FACIE FOR CIVILIAN USE AND NOTED IT WOULD DO NOTHING FOR COMPANY'S CREDIBILITY FOR SUCH SALE TO BE PUSHED BUT THEN TO FAIL RECEIVE MC LICENSE WHICH MIGHT BE NECESSARY. COMPANY REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRED AND SAID THEY PLANNED CALL ON NUMBER INDIVIDUALS ON "GET ACQUAINTED" BASIS IN HOPE LAYING GROUNDWORK FOR SOME MODEST SALES IN FUTURE.

2. ENGLEHARDT (PARA 2 REFTEL) ARRIVING FEB 13 AND WILL, AS NECESSARY, BE GIVEN SAME GUIDANCE.  
BREWER

CONFIDENTIAL

NNN



## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** X  
**Capture Date:** 01 JAN 1994  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** HELICOPTERS, MILITARY SALES  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Draft Date:** 12 FEB 1975  
**Decaption Date:** 01 JAN 1960  
**Decaption Note:**  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Authority:** GolinoFR  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 28 MAY 2004  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1975KHARTO00366  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** GS  
**Errors:** N/A  
**Film Number:** D750051-0417  
**From:** KHARTOUM  
**Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Image Path:**  
**ISecure:** 1  
**Legacy Key:** link1975/newtext/t19750251/aaaabthj.tel  
**Line Count:** 52  
**Locator:** TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM  
**Office:** ACTION AF  
**Original Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Original Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Original Previous Classification:** n/a  
**Original Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Page Count:** 1  
**Previous Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Previous Classification:** CONFIDENTIAL  
**Previous Handling Restrictions:** n/a  
**Reference:** 75 STATE 25196  
**Review Action:** RELEASED, APPROVED  
**Review Authority:** GolinoFR  
**Review Comment:** n/a  
**Review Content Flags:**  
**Review Date:** 26 AUG 2003  
**Review Event:**  
**Review Exemptions:** n/a  
**Review History:** RELEASED <26 AUG 2003 by BoyleJA>; APPROVED <27 AUG 2003 by GolinoFR>  
**Review Markings:**

Margaret P. Grafeld  
Declassified/Released  
US Department of State  
EO Systematic Review  
05 JUL 2006

**Review Media Identifier:**  
**Review Referrals:** n/a  
**Review Release Date:** n/a  
**Review Release Event:** n/a  
**Review Transfer Date:**  
**Review Withdrawn Fields:** n/a  
**Secure:** OPEN  
**Status:** NATIVE  
**Subject:** TRAVEL OF SIKORSKY REPRESENTATIVE  
**TAGS:** PFOR, MASS, BTRA, SU, US, (CAMPBELL, JOHN), (BROWN, ROBERT)  
**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
**Markings:** Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006